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I. Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 14, line 23 with the following amended paragraph:

The certificate generating unit 102 transmits the certificates $A503_1$ and $A502_1$ and the certificate $A508_2$ generated in step S403 to the certificate authority 50_2 via the data transmitting and receiving unit 101. After that, the terminal 20 selects the area of the [[first]] second service provider 40_2 for the smart card 10 (step S404).